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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No. : 10/757,664 Confirmation No. 4456
Applicants : M. David Weingarten, et al.
Filed : January 13, 2004
TC/A.U. : 1621
Examiner : Paul A. Zucker
Title : Process of Preparing Esters and Ethers of Probucol and Derivatives
Thereof
Docket No. : 04676.105102 (ATH 225 US)
Customer No. : 20786

Commissioner for Patents
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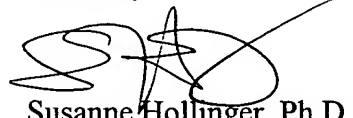
February 28, 2007

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a), Applicants herewith petition that the period for filing a Response to the Non-final Office Action, mailed August 31, 2006, in the above-identified application be extended for three months, to and including, February 28, 2007. A credit card payment form is enclosed for payment of the associated fee. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 11-0980.

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